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ABSTRACT

A reshaped human antibody to the human IL-6R, comprising: (A) an L chain comprising,

(1) a human L chain C region, and

(2) an L chain V region comprising human L chain framework regions (FRs), and mouse L chain complementary determination regions (CDRs) of a momoclonal antibody to the IL-6 receptor (IL-6R); and

(B) an H chain comprising,

(1) a human H chain C region, and

(2) an H chain V region comprising human H · chain FRs, and mouse H chain CDRs of a monoclonal antibody to the IL-6R.

Since major portion of the reshaped human antibody is derived from a human antibody and the mouse CDRs which are less immunogenic, the present reshaped human antibody is less immunogenic to human, and therefor is promised for therapeutic uses.

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